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DATE WEATHER REPORT.
(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
WASHINGTON, April 27.—A. M.—For Virginia, slightly warmer, generally fair weather, variable winds, generally from the north to west. For North Carolina, slightly warmer, fair weather, from west winds.

THE WEATHER IN RICHMOND YESTERDAY was clear and pleasant.

Range of Thermometer Yesterday:
A. M. 64
P. M. 74
WIND VELOCITY:
A. M. 10
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SIR EDWARD'S COMING

IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY AND SOON TO BE HERE.
Preparations for the Conference-Work of the Legislative Debt Committee—Personal, etc.

The members of the legislative committee met again in the Allen house yesterday, and for the first time, with all of their members present.

They were in session for two hours and a half, most of which time was spent in the examination of statistical tables furnished them by Auditors Marye and Ruffin and Mr. Craig.

The official statement puts the revenue to be expected from all sources for 1887 at \$2,520,000, but the Council of Foreign Bondholders claim that it is very much more.

Most of the committee are of the opinion that if Sir Edward Thornton will patiently investigate the matter for himself he will assuredly come to the conclusion that they are wrong and the Capital officers right.

The building was formerly the residence of Mr. Joseph Allen, who was for many years the clerk of the Supreme Court of Appeals.

It is proper to add here as Sir Edward says, people here who are surprised to know.

Sir Edward Thornton and party will occupy a suite of rooms—five in number, with private parlor—in the parlor of the Belmont Hotel.

The work of the Legislature, which meets to-day.

The two houses of the General Assembly will meet to-day and resume their business where they left off at adjournment for the recess.

PENINSULA PATRONS.

EFFORTS TO BRING THEM IN CLOSER CONNECTION WITH RICHMOND.
Proposed Telephone Line to Old Point—Lower Telephone Rates Secured—State Tax on Merchants.

A special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday evening.

Excuses were made for the absence of Messrs. Thompson, L. Christian, J. H. Whitty, R. A. Dunlop, Ashton Clarke, A. H. Christian, Jr., and N. W. Bowe.

With this report were several communications from Mr. Leonard, superintendent of the Newport-News and Mississippi-Valley Company's telephone line.

The railroad company offered the one of the most favorable terms, but Mr. McClure asked that it was thought not unreasonable for a guarantee fund of \$5,000.

The following letter is about the new telephone line.

On motion of Mr. Bodeker, the offer of the railway company was accepted, and as to the telephone the subject was referred to the committee.

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Interesting Exercises at the Christian Church—Music and Oratory—The Parade on the Street.

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The members of the order assembled at the hall at the corner of Mayo and Franklin streets, and, headed by Volker's band, marched on Governor street to Broad, up Broad to Third, down Third to Grace, and down Grace to the church.

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DANVILLE OFFICES.

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Action of the Board of Directors of Their Meeting Held in New York.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Richmond and West Point Terminal Railway and Warehouse Company was held in New York on Monday.

General Manager Thomas assumes the management of the East Tennessee line, as well as continues that of the Richmond and Danville.

Nothing was said in General Logan's letter about the election of a general manager of the Danville road proper, but it is presumed that Captain William H. Green, who has been the efficient general superintendent for many years, will be promoted to the position.

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